

GOOD SAMARITAN CANADA CHRISTENSON VILLAGE

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COMPLEX CARE



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ASSISTED LIVING

GOOD SAMARITAN CANADA

OUR MISSION

The mission of Good Samaritan Canada is to extend Christian Hospitality through a continuum of care to those in need or at risk, regardless of race or religious belief.

OUR VISION

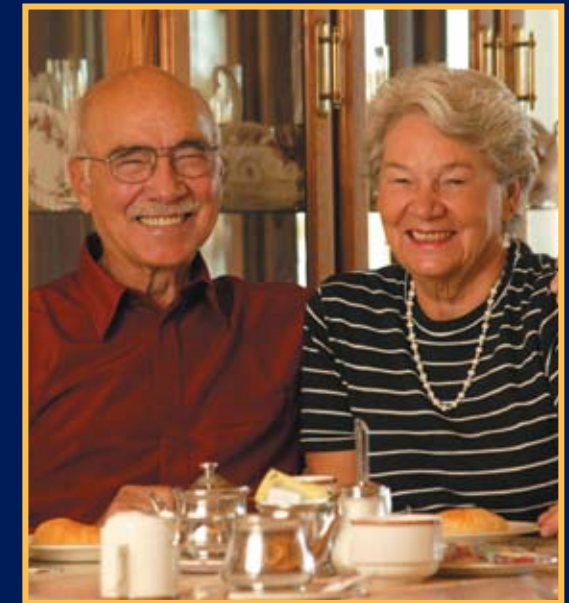
Good Samaritan Canada will grow in strength, excellence and creativity in caring for others.

OUR VALUES

Reflecting Christian Hospitality, the values of Good Samaritan Canada are:

- servant leadership;
- healthy relationships; and
- hospitable environments.

MAKE YOURSELF AT *home*



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SERVANT LEADERSHIP

We lead through giving of ourselves in service to others, by acting with courage in a trustworthy and ethical manner.

We do this by:

- being **accountable** for all of our actions;
- demonstrating **integrity**;
- being **good stewards** of our resources;
- **servicing** others without self interest.

HEALTHY RELATIONSHIPS

In a spirit of compassion, we work in supportive partnerships and open our hearts to others by affirming their goodness and potential.

We do this by:

- showing **respect** to others;
- **partnering** in shared responsibilities;
- **communicating** openly and sincerely;
- showing **compassion** to others;
- upholding **dignity**;
- **supporting** the potential in everyone.

HOSPITABLE ENVIRONMENTS

We provide safe, comfortable communities inspiring involvement, where people experience a sense of caring, belonging and purpose.

We do this by:

- putting **people first** before tasks;
- providing **home-like** surroundings;
- providing **safe**, non-threatening environments;
- building and maintaining **community** connections.



Christenson Village, owned and operated by Good Samaritan Canada, is a unique community offering multiple levels of support and the opportunity to age in place.

Complex Care

Christenson Village includes 50 licensed complex care rooms, each with a bathroom and wheelchair accessible shower. Good Samaritan Canada will provide a bed, night table, dresser and side chair. Residents are encouraged to bring some of their own belongings, such as a chair, lamp, pictures, quilt or bedspread, to personalize their room. The residential program is intended for residents that can no longer be supported independently in the community and require 24 hour professional care.

Dementia Care

Each of the three cottages is a unique duplex designed to create a home-like setting for ten residents. Each half of the duplex has five bedrooms, living room with fireplace, kitchen, and secure access to a fenced yard. Clients are included in the events of daily living to the extent that they are accustomed and able. The cottage design and care programs are specific for residents with Alzheimer's or other forms of dementia. The secure and supportive environment is "more like home" and provides the security and safety these residents require.



Assisted Living

Assisted Living programs are intended for residents that can no longer live independently in the community. The assisted living program at Christenson Village consists of 60 one-bedroom suites. The program offers residents the flexibility to prepare breakfast and lunch in their own suite, if they choose. Residents pay rent, which includes two daily meals, housekeeping, linen service, and TeleCare (an emergency response service). Optional services include a third meal, and personal laundry service.

Who is Eligible?

Admission to our residency program is through the Vancouver Coastal Health Regions Community Services. The program is intended for residents of Gibsons and the surrounding communities that can no longer live in their own home or community location and require 24-hour care/support. All beds at the site meet the licensing and registration requirements of the province of British Columbia. Residents wishing to be considered for this program should discuss this option with Vancouver Coastal Health Region.

For more information or how to qualify for admission, contact the Long Term Care Coordinator at Home Care Services at (604) 741-0726.

For more information or to arrange a tour call Christenson Village at (604) 886-8747.